

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

BUREAU OF CONSUMER
FINANCIAL PROTECTION,

Plaintiff,

v.

FORSTER & GARBUS, LLP,

Defendant.

Civil Action No.
2:19-cv-02928-SFJ-ARL

**JOINT PRE-CONFERENCE
STATUS REPORT**

In preparation for the Court's September 23, 2019 Initial Conference in *Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection v. Forster & Garbus, LLP*, the parties have exchanged written settlement communications, but have not yet settled this matter. The Bureau attorneys appearing before the Court during the Initial Conference will have settlement parameters authorized by the Bureau's Director, and Bureau management will be available by phone. Forster & Garbus will be available by phone if authority is needed to settle the matter.

The parties have a Rule 26(f) conference scheduled for September 17, 2019.

Dated: September 13, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

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